

# Crossfield Chronicle

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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

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Madden Alberta  
April 17th, 1939.

Dear Editor:

In your April 13th issue I note that a Water Valley citizen has purchased a pair of new boots with his bonus on Alberta Transfer Vouchers. Nifty stroke of business, what? As we are all affected with an "Alberta" complex these days, I trust that these boots are "Alberta made."

However, there is a system which appears to be lost sight of, since the public has went "nertz" on the "no money" bug. Just take our cash to the wicked old retail merchants, who have a fashion of issuing credit in terms of the public need while the politicians talk about it. If we don't get bonus enough to buy several pairs of boots in a short time, I'll eat my hat.

Yours truly

F. D. Parker

Crossfield, Alta.  
April 15 1939

To the Editor of  
the Crossfield Chronicle  
Dear Sir:

Would you kindly permit a few remarks on the letter of Mr. O. E. Jones in your issue of April 13th. In one place he says "we do not discuss political issues," in another place he says "we are trying to get a Provincial Grant for a municipal purpose. These two statements conflict, a Provincial Grant is an important political question, and this one looks like a pork barrel appeal to me, and the purpose it is to be used for is entirely Municipal. This looks on the surface, like worthy endeavours by a worthy organization, but it really is interfering in a matter entirely out of their sphere. This matter has been brought up in the proper place, by the proper people, on two occasions that I know of and has been duly considered. It is important that these matters be kept within the power of the ratepayers, as ratepayers. As for the mutual benefit he mentions. I think Mr. Jones was the man who led the applause when a motion lost (by one vote) asking

### UNITED CHURCH NOTES.

Services will be held next Sunday at Rodney and Tan-y-Bryn. A number of young people will take part in the evening service at Crossfield.

Rosebud 280 Municipality to cooperate, as much as possible, with the Provincial Government in the use of Provincial Credit. Ways and means for such road improvement as the B.O.T. suggests is available, but it must be done in the manner provided. The Provincial Grant is the wrong way, and would not be a mutual benefit, it looks like a case of too many cooks spoiling the broth. Such grants always increase the taxes or the debt of the Province, this brings in the coupon clippers who take a draw and do no work.

Yours Sincerely

Rural Ratepayer

Water Valley

Dear Sir:

Evidently Mr. Jones has misinterpreted my letter which is in the April 6th issue.

I tried to make a few common-sense remarks about the officials of the Board of Trade. Also about the "No Money Bug." Then I suggested that the Board of Trade read a book which was copyrighted in 1916. This book was written by a dirt farmer who was head of the largest farmers organization in the mid-western states. He claims to have put in thirty years gathering data. Is this politic. If so, I still think it should be read and if possible I would like to be present and get the reaction of other minds who would inevitably get a different slant from my own.

The idea is, with me, that if I am a damphool I don't care to remain one.

If my "No Money Bug" which we hear every day, is a political bug then I am guilty. Is there any reason for us as citizens, to purchase outside our hamlet, village, or town, other than to stretch our "No Money?"

Might I ask if any political consideration crept into the Board of Trade meeting about a year ago when they asked for the disallowance of a number of Prov. Acts?

Had I been a member and present then, would I have been fed to the Lions?

Has the Board of Trade done

### Local Hereford Breeders Sell at Calgary Bull Sale

(held over from last week)

Following is a list of the bulls sold by the local stockmen at Calgary last week; (Taken from the Calgary Herald, Saturday, April 8th.)

Ardmore Domino 38th, \$300, A. G. Spooner. Frank Collicutt, Crossfield; W. S. Domino 502nd \$500, Frank Collicutt, C. W. Duckert, Lacombe; W. S. Domino 501st, \$450, Frank Collicutt, Thos. Usher, Scollard; W. S. Domino 551st, \$525, Frank Collicutt, C. E. Jones, Balzac; W. S. Gay Lad 2011th, \$265, Frank Collicutt, F. M. Reesor, Walsh; J.U.K. Domino, S. 17th, \$190, J.U.K. Gibson, I. Laut Crossfield; W. S. Baldwin 131st, 5220, Frank Collicutt, Dominion Livestock Branch; W. S. Baldwin 107th, \$200, Frank Collicutt, Hargreaves, Knee Hill Valley; W. S. Gay Lad 2000th, \$220, Frank Collicutt, Bulman Bros. Westwood; W. S. Domino 542nd, \$215, Frank Collicutt, Alex Reid, Carbon; Husky Lad 45th, \$105, Garnet O'Neil, Crossfield, J. Bates, Langdon; Marquis of Hillhead, \$130, G. K. Allonby, Crossfield, Dominion Livestock Branch; Poplar Kingston, \$115, G. K. Allonby, Crossfield, A. L. Lang, Blackfalds.

any asking re the wheat situation? Might be that the editor has missed this

We all know that Alberta farmers received nearly half of the bonus paid. Would Ottawa feel as they do if Sask. or Man. had received this?

Enough for politics, as I have very definite reasons to believe that unless we unite for action, on one paramount issue, our political action will be wholly abortive and ineffectual

Everyone who is honest will not deny that every government this province ever had were sincere, honest, citizens. Although they did not always act as sportmanlike as they should, they and the Ottawa government were prevented from doing what they know should be done.

Unity on this "No Money" will no more straighten things out than any other issue.

This temporary depression which has lasted ten years should

### SENIOR BASEBALLERS AGAIN ORGANIZE

At a meeting held in the Oliver Cafe Monday the Senior Baseball Players re-organized for the coming season. It was decided to again enter the Bush League.

The following were the officers elected: H. McDonald, President; E. W. Hoover, Manager; Merle Heywood, Secretary, and George McDonald, Playing Captain.

We understand the club has several new players, which will greatly assist in making the coming season a successful one.

It was also arranged to have an exhibition game at Carstairs, on the Crossfield diamond, in the very near future.

Easter examination results will be found on page six.

have demonstrated that the Humpty Dumpty of profits can only be patched to appear convalescent, while statistics prove that approximately 80pc. of our population do not share in any profit.

Who can deny that we have an abundance of labor, equipment and material at hand to build all our roads and do many other things. What is the thing lacking? "No Money"

Ask your business men if it would help for every citizen to have money in his pocket. Not inflation but enough to buy and build every thing possible.

As nearly a perfect balance as is humanly possible between money and labour and labors products.

How long are we going to continue trying to do business with "No Money"

In my opinion we have no one in Canada who has the say as to how our money system shall be operated.

Another opinion is that we have not got one dollar of lawful money in circulation in Canada.

No wonder I say I'm Nertz as I have to absorb what little information I get through solid ivory. Now don't get it into your head that I am under the impression I have a corner on the ivory market, just look and listen.

G. F. DAY.

### LOCAL RESIDENTS THINK OF CLEAN-UP WEEK

By the many piles of garbage and tin cans we notice local residents are already cleaning up their yards, and, with the health inspector having visited our town, it gives him a good impression. Doing the work now will save being notified later.

Although clean-up week is not until some time in May, it behooves us to go ahead with the spring cleaning now, so that any travelling through will see that we are living in a lively town, where people are keeping up to the high standards already maintained.

### RELIGION ON THE AIR ACROSS CANADA

Friday night is the right for rehearsal of the "Church of the Air" programme which the C.B.C. sends out twice each Sunday. The rehearsal may take place in any one of Canada's large cities, in a church building belonging to any one of the many communion.

On Sunday afternoon the polished result of the Friday rehearsal will be heard from coast to coast by the sick and helpless, the farm family in some remote townships, the trial blazers in the depths of the wilderness. For this is the twentieth century and the Church has added another mighty weapon to its armoury.

Early in its history the C.B.C. took measures to insure a place for religious services upon its program schedules, to guarantee the most democratic opportunity for denominational expression the Commission called upon representatives of each Communion, Catholic, Protestant and Jewish, to form the National Religious Advisory Council. Upon this Council are Catholics, Orthodox and Reform Jews, Anglicans, Baptists, Presbyterians, Christian Scientists, Lutherans, Salvation Army and United Church of Canada. Before present plans are completed, each communion will have completed almost twenty programs of devotion.

Over Canadian radio, religion has produced a self-governing and successful united front. The message of religion has found a new avenue to the hearts of humanity. The organized Church has moved a step toward elimination of differences and co-operation upon fundamentals.

The programs for the remaining two Sundays of April in a coast-to-coast network are—

April 23rd, 2:30, 3:00 p.m.—Rabbi M. N. Eisendrath (Reform Jewish)  
5:00, 5:30 p.m.—Rev. Harold Young (United Church)

April 30th, 2:30, 3:00 p.m.—Colonel Peacock (Salvation Army)  
5:00, 5:30 p.m.—Rev. A. Lotz (Lutheran)



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## Laugh, Clown Laugh

It's good to laugh; laugh and the world laughs with you; cry and you cry alone. Going through a few papers on my desk, I came across two notices of German Cultural Society meetings. They gave me an idea; why not English, Welsh, Irish, Scots and Canadian Cultural Society? I like the word cultural; it reminds me of purges, concentration camps and funny things like that. It made me think that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander. At Berlin, excuse me; I mean Kitchener, Ontario. Six Canadian citizens, the forth generation born in this country were dined, wined and feted on the eve of their departure for Germany to take up positions there to help the fatherland. It evidently is hard to turn the Holstein into a Shorthorn. That phase could be discussed at our All-British Cultural Society.

Where there's a will there's a way. Mr. Houde of Montreal fame tells Canada that, should England fight Italy, the sympathy of Quebec would be with Italy. They also, by existing appearances, must have a French-Italian Cultural Society down there. Cultural Societies must be like measles (infectious). A nation divided is in a bad state; and if Canada does not want to fall an easy prey to Communism or Nazism, then it is for her people, one and all, regardless of the countries of their birth, to think Canada, talk Canada and be Canada, first and last.

Why did the most of them come to Canada? Because they were fed up and thought they could make a better living here than in the land of their birth, and most of them who came out here have; so why in blazes bite the hand that feeds you, and wildly proclaim the wonders of a country that you left because you got tired of it.

The Argentine Republic took eight hundred of a German Cultural Society and sent them back to Germany last week. There they can have the delights of the father land and hail Hitler to their hearts content.

God speed the plow.

—GARRETT.

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Agent

Crossfield

## The World of Wheat. UNITY COUNCIL NOTES

By H. G. L. Strange

A member of the Government recently announced that the Dominion Treasury had expended, on assistance for the West during the past eight years, the sum of 118 million dollars.

Some of our good friends in the East have suggested that this is a very handsome contribution, and that Western farmers, therefore, should be more modest in their demands for further assistance.

We all agree that 118 million dollars is a lot of money; but there is something else to be remembered, too, which is that even during these distressful eight years, the West contributed a much larger sum of money than 118 million to Eastern Canada.

Professor Viner, a recognized world authority, stated to the Rowell Commission recently that he calculated the Prairie Provinces contributed in normal years approximately 47 million dollars each year to the East, in the form of the higher costs farmers had to pay for the things they bought; these higher costs being the result of the high tariff protection enjoyed by Eastern manufacturing industries.

Far, then, from the West having been an expense to the East, actually even during those last eight years of great distress and need, prairie farmers still paid to the East, as a bonus, considerably more than they received from the Dominion.

Wonder if the Aberhart government are going into the barber business? We noticed an advertisement in an Alberta newspaper a few days ago, worded partly: "For Sale, government-inspected bobs. To clear in bulk at 75c"

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## Cremona Notes

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. James Coleman, in her 74th year, having been ill for some time. She quietly passed away at her home on April 13th at 5 p.m. and was laid to rest in the Cremona Cemetery.

The Cremona curling club had a meeting and arranged to collect the fees for the Shares and see about a building.

Big Prairie district has opened a hall on the old Bob, Blackburn quarter Sec, a mile north of Big Prairie school.

We see that the government man was installing more telephones in Cremona the other day. Looking up, Eh Butch?

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### Local and General

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitfield, of Calgary, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Tuesday last.

The Mission Band Club is holding a tea at the home of Mrs. A. E. Edlund, on Saturday, April 29th, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

The Women's Guild is holding a tea on April 25th, at the home of Mrs. J. Hesketh. Everyone welcome.

#### Special Entertainment

At Mrs. C. Fox's  
May 3rd.

Watch for particulars

We wonder if Everett Bills found T. Tredaway in his truck after three o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The little town of Stavely is advertising bed bugs—for feed, rent or loan—Blairmore Enterprise.

Corporal Cameron informs us that the car and drivers licenses must be purchased by April 21st, or he will be forced to prosecute.

It is now some two months ago since Louie wrecked his bike, but he is going strong again. We have not noticed Harve driving a new car.

A wedding ceremony of great interest—in fact involving royalty—will be celebrated tomorrow, after which two hearts will beat as one.—Blairmore Enterprise.

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Miss Mary Walsh informs us that she is planning a Home Missionary Service, to be held in the Madden Hall at 3:00 p.m. Sunday next, April 23rd. A ladies trio from Calgary will provide special music. Everyone cordially invited to attend and enjoy this service.

Picture Slides of "Darkness & Dawn" and the "Coronation of George VI and Elizabeth" will be shown at the Crossfield United Church on Wednesday, April 26th, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Sunday School. Admission: Adults 15c students 10c.

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Mr. Butterfield, Provincial Health Inspector, was in Crossfield Wednesday, giving the town the once over.

Several carloads of local citizens attended the Unity Movement meeting at Cochrane, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. G. Lim and Stanley spent the weekend in Calgary where Mrs. Lim attended the Chinese Mothers Society, where she heard Miss Loh Tsei, China's "Joan of Arc", who spoke on the War 'Four of China.

We notice by the Macleod Gazette that G. Y. McLean, former editor of the Crossfield Chronicle, that Messrs. Jessup and McLean of the Gazette have dissolved partnership.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. J. Belshaw were visitors to Calgary Tuesday evening, attending the Whitfield silver wedding. Celebrations were held in the Burnair Lodge. About eighty friends were present to convey their congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield.



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## King George VI

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### CHAPTER NINETEEN

"So let extend thy mind o'er  
all the world In knowledge."

—Milton

If the education and training of Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, now Queen Elizabeth, had been planned with the object of preparing the young lady for the task of some day assuming the duties and responsibilities of the wife of the King, nothing could have been contrived better or more exact than the actual programme which was followed by the devoted parents of Her Majesty.

Her mother, Lady Strathmore, was a remarkably intelligent woman and she did not favour boarding-schools. Consequently, Lady Bowes-Lyon had the good fortune to receive her early training and schooling from her mother, who taught her daughter all the necessary subjects including at the same time a thorough training in all the elements of music, art, dancing, and all the kindred subjects. In other words, the cultural background of the ancient Strathmore family was implanted in the child, and this was accomplished at an early stage in the life of the future Queen. However, when the child had grown up, these educational duties were shared by governesses, and it is an extraordinary thing that she had the benefits of the sound training of no less than three national backgrounds since she received instruction from a French, English and German governess at various stages. The results are that the Queen has a good command of the two foreign languages.

When she reached the proper age, she studied for the Junior Oxford examination and she passed it. Then followed the period of the Great War and like all other girls of her age and position, she was ready to go aboard for the finishing school courses

but owing to the unsettled conditions this idea was abandoned. Nevertheless, she carried on her studies at home, and when in London she followed certain courses in music and dancing, excelling in both. Madame D'Egville supplied the dancing lessons and Madame Matilde Verne was the music teacher.

But books and theories were not the only things that stand out at this point in the life of the Queen. It is rather the fact that the young lady was already showing natural talent to carry out the duties of a member of the Royalty. She had been properly described as the perfect hostess. During her childhood and youth, she received a number of opportunities to engage in social functions and to develop those necessary talents that are vital for the first lady of the land, just as if Fate had destined her for the position. Her charming personality, wisdom and tact, her innate ability to remember faces and names, her dignity yet simplicity, all combine those very characteristics which are essential for a wife of the King. They cannot be achieved or attained suddenly, requiring many years of training. However, coming events have often cast their shadows before them and this was true in the case of Queen Elizabeth.

(continued next week)

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### VILLAGE

**COUNCIL MEETINGS**  
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Worship Service at 7:30.  
Worship service alternate Sunday mornings at Rodney and Madden.  
Afternoon services at Tan-y-Bryn and Oneil, as announced in other columns.  
"Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness. —Jesus

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Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.  
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Sunday School, 12 noon  
Evening Service, 8 o'clock  
Abernethy School 3:00 p.m.

We saw the Unity Councils organizer for Cremona inspecting Treasury Branch No. 7 about a week ago. As these are branches of our own Prov. Treasury, we can see no reason for leaving, just like a kid caught in a jam in, where we said, Hello.

The Papke family who have resided in the Water Valley district for the past couple of years are moving to the Gus Johnson farm in the Big Prairie district. Good Luck.

We hear talk of building a Hall at Slab City.

At the Annual road meeting John Natziger was elected as committeeman for 1939.

The kids night for boxing and athletics was held at the hall Saturday 15th and quite a turnout was there. It was decided to continue every two weeks. Bill King is referee and match maker. Everyone welcome. Everyone attending, young and old, must be matched or pay a fine of two bits.

We hear that S. Meezer, the head ranger in our section of the Bow River forest reserve has been released.

The Water Valley Baseball Club has decided not to organize for the coming season. Some talk of an old mans team forty five and over. Bob Lawrence says they would have to invest in clear vision glasses, plenty of liniment and probably some new dogs.

Bun Borton says. Don't blame the merchant if the dairy butter is rotten, but find out the maker.

A wedding ceremony of great interest—in fact involving royalty—will be celebrated tomorrow, after which two hearts will beat as one.—Blairmore Enterprise

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### Around Field And Barn.

By E. M. C.

Well, next year" is here, what difference does it make? Some we loved have passed on, conditions in Europe look darker and more hopeless than ever before, and 40c is the bid for the best wheat in the world.

You take what they offer, and you give what they ask.—Overproduction? A farmer told me today that he was sowing every last acre to wheat; he has to raise twice as many bushels as last year to balance the price and if it graded below a two he was broke. I think he was broke anyway but did not know it most of us are, but not all, it depends how you figure. I was talking to a farmer who was plowing with three horses and a sulky plow, there was a bennet buggy in the yard, he had no radio, no family, and his wife cut his hair. He was not broke

but he told the time by the sun, and asked me what day of the week it was.

Forty cent wheat, cream and eggs at bargain counter prices.

Some are hinting darkly that there will be an election this fall. No use to blame the government we are the government, we are only talking to ourselves. Is it our fault then? a great deal of it is, we expect too much.

We want all the advantages and high standard of living enjoyed by organized labor, without the organizing, and we will not get it.

We try to live up to the industrial Jones's without learning their tactics.

Yes! we will take 40c and be thankful if it grades that high.

Of course if you want an excuse—a goat—there is always the House of Morgan. If only we were as fortunate as the happy Russian farmer; there are no

wicked financiers there.

Why not sow a few acres to grass this year, but be careful where you get your seed. I know of one farmer who purchased sweet clover from another at less than half price had 50pc. tumbling mustard.

Never mind what he said, you know anyway.

### CREMONA NOTES.

(continued from page 2)

Mr. and Mrs. Camps have arrived from the Hig River District on their new home, the Erick Erickson homestead.

The Cremona Social Credit Study Group met at the home of M. J. Hewitt last week.

The Cremona Young People meet at the church every second Tuesday and have very interesting meetings.

The farmers are just trying out the land these days, some too wet and some too much frost

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**School Easter Test Results**

(held over from last week)

**ROOM I**

Lists are alphabetically arranged

Grade I	
Aileen Berge	H
Mickey Huston	H
Barry Jones	H
Billy Neilsen	H
Beryl Patmore	H
Gordon Snyder	H
Ethel Devins	A
Shirley Fike	A
Ray Lee	A
Johnny Woods	B
Vernon Becker	D
Con Taks	D
Grade II	
Lois Gilchrist	H
Gerald Hurt	H
Stanley Lim	H
Shirley Mae Reeves	H
Clara Wittke	H

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Howard High	A
Donnie McCaskill	A
Audrey Devins	B
Enid Lind	C
Bruce Woods	C
Grade III	
Isobel Hopper	H
Mervin Lind	H
Lorne Patmore	H
John Berge	A
Harold High	A
Alice Huston	A
Raymond Patmore	A
Patsy Stevens	A

Miss F. Gough

**ROOM 11**

Grade VI	
Donald Stevens	H
Helen Hurt	H
Lauretta Fike	H
Norman Patmore	H
Reggie Belshaw	A
Laurence McCool	A
Neils Neilson	A
Donald Ryan	A
Arthur Berge	A
Lois Gordon	A
Alice Gilson	B
Kenneth Belshaw	B
Grade V	
Judeth Berge	H
Berwyn Patmore	H
Gerald Butler	A
Betty Huston	A
Gordon Woods	B
Lambert Taks	B
Winnifred Carmichael	C
Grade IV	
Gordon Fox	H
Maxine Reeves	H
Murray Hurt	H
Ruby Lee	A
Eunice Harrison	A
Mary Karen Edlund	A
Robert McCaskill	A
Doris Patmore	A
Fern Patmore	A
Karl Neilsen	B
David Gilson	B
Barbara High	B
Ralph Lind	C

MILDRED BROWN, teacher

**ROOM 3**

Grade IX	
Nora Fleming	H
June Patmore	A
Lester Hopper	A
Josephine Waterhouse	A
Majory Huston	A
Hazele Havens	B
Cecil Walker	B
Grade VIII	
Marjorie Gordon	H
Vida McMillan	A
Gladys Gilchrist	A
James Stevens	A
Allen Sharp	A
Charles Russell	B
Grade VII	
Keith Bannister	H
Douglas Hoover	H
Mervin Patmore	A
Peter Taks	A
Cameron Carmichael	A
Vivian Lind	B

Alice Hall	B
Maxine Mair	B
Earnest Butler	C
Lloyd Johnson	C
Gordon Reeves	C
Percy Blough	C
H Honors—80 to 100	
A	70 to 79
B	60 to 69
C	50 to 59
Mrs. A. EMERY, teacher	

Room IV Grades XI, XII	
Amery, Arlene	A B
Brandon, Lila	B C
Carmichael, Adeline	H H
Collins, Mary	A A
Fleming, Jack	A A
Gilchrist, Jean	A B
Hall, Cora	A B
Hesketh, Dorothy	B A
Hopper, Earl	B C
Mair, Harold	C B
O'Neil, Don	B B
O'Neil, Murray	B B
Wickerson, Eugene	C C
Atkin, Vera	B C
Carmichael, John	A H
Harrison, Bill	A H
Havens, Eugene	A A
Hunt, Gwendolyn	H H
Hunt, Harold	— C
Laut, Ross	A H
Leask, Catherine	H B
Tredaway, Winnie	— A

(These results predict at least 90% pass in June)

W. K. GISH, Principal

H—Honors 80 to 100	
A—Good	70 to 80
B—Fair	60 to 70
C—Failure	below 60

Room V Grade X Miss A. Gish

Amery, Bill	H A
Arnott, Eileen	A B
Belshaw, Elaine	A B
Berge, Sevrin	A A
Bills, Paul	H A
Carmichael, Jean	H C
Fleming, George	A A
Hall, Warren	A B
Harrison, Jim	B B
Havens, Evelyn	H A
Houston, Marion	B C
Jack, Irene	B C
McMillan, Clarke	H A
Metheral, Claire	A C
Metheral, Lethe	A C
Mitchell, Bob	H B
Sefton, Irene	A A
Sharpe, Mabel	H B
Thompson, Eloise	C B
Tredaway, Edna	H B
Waterhouse, Connie	A B
Wickerson, Hugh	B B

**Local and General**

C. A. Havens is sporting a new 1939 Plymouth coach.

Jim Stevens almost having a brushing good time.

Messrs. W. J. Wood and D. Ontkes were Calgary business visitors Tuesday.

J. D. Fike finding the four Walls at the right time to give some one the raspberries.

Mrs. McRory left for Calgary Wednesday, where she intends to spend a holiday.

C. Weber is planting some trees across the street from the skating rink. This will be a great asset to the Village.

We notice the ministers spring cleaning. Rev. Pickford was calsomining. Rev. Hunt paper-hanging, but where oh where is Rev. Currie.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. McClelland, of Calgary, were visitors in town Tuesday. We were informed that they have a deal on for the sale of their house.

A great many farmers of the district have commenced work on the land, and with fine weather next week, seeding will be general.

Verne Thompson purchased a John Deere tractor from W. A. Hurt and a Packer and Cultivator from W. Laut, taking them home Wednesday.

Commencing Saturday next, April 22, the Gloomchasers will hold their regular Saturday-night dances, in the U.F.A. Hall. Come out and boost for your local orchestra.

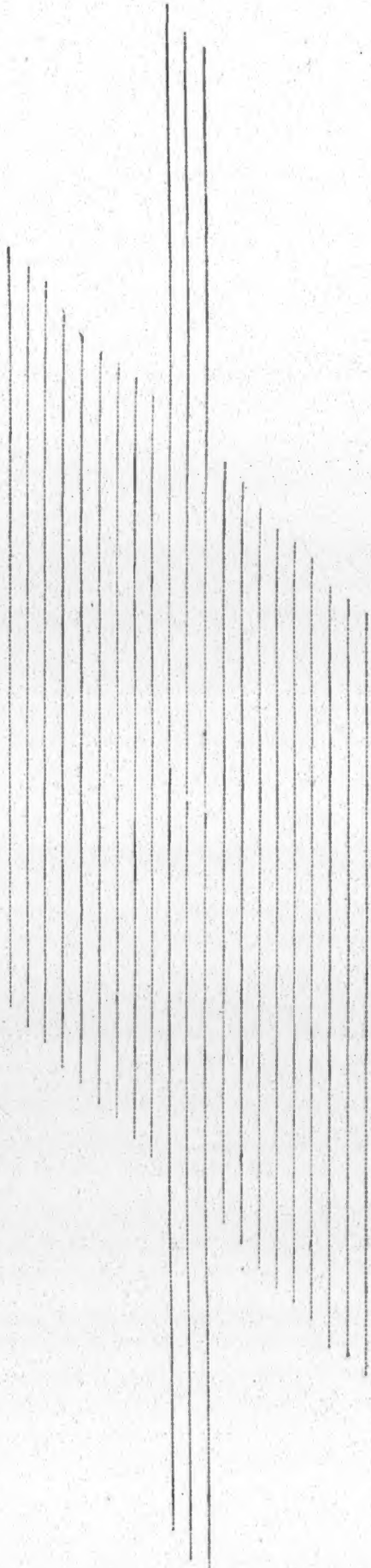
On Tuesday afternoon, April 18th, a few of Mrs. Christiansen's friends spent a very enjoyable afternoon and tea with her on the occasion of her 81st birthday. Mrs. C. Christiansen and daughter, Hannah, also Mrs. Chester Christiansen, Mrs. Heywood, Mrs. McNichol, Mrs. McRory and Mrs. Calhoun all report having a good time.

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The Week in Edmonton.

Edmonton, April — Departure of the M.L.A.'s from the Legislative Buildings following prorogation has left a quiet atmosphere that contrasts greatly with the noise and bustle of sessional days. Yet beneath the apparent calm there is activity — the silent and efficient activity of the administrative services as they swing once more into the business over a new working year.

With the passage of the new lands act, the era of homesteading appears to have ended in Alberta. No more will land-hungry settlers stake their classic bet of ten dollars to a quarter section that they can "make a go of it" on virgin land. The new act, which provides for a long term leasing proposition with an option of purchase, may rightfully be set down as Alberta's charter of coming-of-age. It would seem that a new phase of our country's building was reached at the end of March.

There were no frantic last minute rushes to take up homesteads. Paradoxically, the land office did no "land office business." Actually, during the last days of the homestead era, only 68 persons filed on new quarters up to March 25. A number of options granted before that date may be taken up within a period of 90 days. Of the 68 homestead filings, 46 were by women.

Indicative of the desire for building improvement among home owners in Alberta is the announcement by Hon. Charles Dunning, federal minister of finance, that Alberta stands second in the amount of lendings approved under the H.I.P. Loans approved from November 1, 1936 when the scheme became effective, to March 31 of this year numbered 64,746, valued at \$25,856,602.

Alberta's enlarged school unit system will prove the greatest contribution ever made to education in this province. Premier Abernethy told 600 teachers in Edmonton this week. He spoke at a convention banquet held in connection with the 22nd annual meet of the A.T.A. Mr. Abernethy said that his predecessor in office, Mr. Perrin Baker, deserved full credit for the pioneering work done to introduce the larger unit.

The building trade seems brisk in town. We notice Ernie Sharp is having his house enlarged, whilst George Lim is having an extra room built on his residence. There are prospects of a new house in the north end of town in the near future.



"LIFE AND LOVE OF Dr. SUSAN"

In every city, town and community there are women who carry on invaluable work—often receiving no credit whatever, and often working against tremendous odds. In the story of "Life and Love of Dr. Susan," now heard each day Monday through Friday over CFAC at 12.15 directly following "Big Sister," just such a character is portrayed.

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The character of "Dr. Susan" is portrayed by Eleanor Phelps, who was born in Baltimore, and who is not only known for her radio characterizations, but also for theatrical portrayals on Broadway. She recently appeared there with Maurice Evans.

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4c	51
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No. 6	37
Fd.	30
GARNET WHEAT	
1 cw	55
2 cw	52
3 cw	47
OATS	
2 cw	28
3 cw	26
1 Fd.	25
2 Fd.	24
Fd.	22
BARLEY	
6 R	39
2 R	39
3 cw	35
4 cw	34
5 cw	30
6 cw	30
FLAX	
1 cw	149
2 cw	145
RYE	
2 cw	38
HOGS	
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Bacon	8.00
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in "Richard II."

Alice Frost, Star of Big Sister, has been offered countless jobs teaching in dramatic schools all over the country, on the basis of her stage and radio work but has been kept too busy at the microphone to accept. Now she's being urged to make an album of transcribed acting lessons for use in these institutions.

GOOD NEWS OF 1939

Bob Young, master of ceremonies of the Good News of 1939 program, will present another stellar array of guests from the M-G-M. motion picture lots during the broadcast on Thursday 7:00 p.m., over CFAC. In addition to his guests, Young will have the assistance of his regulars, Fanny "Baby Snooks" Brice, Hanley "Daddy" Stafford, Frank "Fabricator" Morgan, and Meredith Wilson and his orchestra and the chorus. Morgan will let his imagination wander far afield while Baby Snooks causes the audience at the expense of Daddy Stafford. Musical highlights of the broadcast will include Wilson's concert hall feature.

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